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AT the Court at St. *James's* the 27th Day of *March*, 1755.

PRESENT,

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was graciouſly pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Eleventh Day of this Inſtant March, to promiſe and declare, (amongſt other Things) that the Bounties of three Pounds for every Able Seaman, of Forty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, and of Twenty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, ſhould be paid to every ſuch Seaman and Landman reſpectively, who ſhould, on or before the Thirty-firſt Day of this Inſtant, voluntarily Enter themſelves to ſerve in His Majeſty's Royal Navy; and that a Reward of Two Pounds ſhould be alſo paid to any Perſon who ſhould, on or before the ſaid Thirty-firſt Day of this Inſtant, diſcover any Seaman, or Seamen, who ſhould conceal themſelves, ſo that ſuch Seaman or Seamen ſhould be taken for His Majeſty's ſaid Service—And whereas the Time thereby limited for paying the ſaid Bounties and Rewards is now near expiring; and it being judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, that the ſame ſhould be continued for ſome longer Time: His Majeſty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth therefore Order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, That the Time limited by the ſaid Proclamation for Payment of the ſaid Bounties and Rewards, be prolonged and extended from the ſaid Thirty-firſt Day of this Inſtant March, to the Thirtieth Day of April next, incluſive—Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice and govern themſelves accordingly.

W. Sharpe.

Petersbourg, Feb. 28. On Friday laſt, being the Great Prince's Birth-Day, who then entred into the 27th Year of his Age, the ſame was celebrated at Court with great Magnificence, the principal Nobility of both Sexes, and the Foreign Miniſters, appearing at Court, in their richeſt Habits, to compliment his Imperial Highneſs on that Occaſion. The Count de Sapiaha, a Poliſh Nobleman, who has been here for ſome Time paſt, and treated with great Marks of Diſtinction, is preparing to ſet out for his own Country.

Warſaw, March 8. Baron Scharffenſtein, who has been here for forty four Years in Quality of Reſident from their Imperial Majeſties, died on Monday laſt, in the 73d Year of his Age; and Yeſterday his Corps, after lying three Days in State, was interred, with great Funeral Pomp, in the Church of the Convent of the Capuchins. The Ambaſſador, who is coming from Conſtantinople, to notify to the King and Republick of Poland, the Acceſſion of Oſman III. to the Ottoman Throne, arrived at Dubno on the 25th of laſt Month, and is daily expected here.

Vienna, March 15. Laſt Thurſday, being the Archduke Joſeph's Birth Day, their Imperial Majeſties received the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Miniſters on that Occaſion, as did his Imperial Highneſs and the two eldeſt Archdutcheſſes. Count Ogilvie, Count of the Holy Roman Empire, and one of their Imperial Majeſties Chamberlains, died here Yeſterday in the 34th Year of his Age.

Dreſden, March 16. Baron Fehcenbach, Miniſter from the Prince Biſhop of Wurtzbourg, had on Sunday laſt his Audiences of their Majeſties and the Royal Family, and is ſet out on his Return to Wurtzbourg. The Navigation of the Elbe, which was interrupted for ten Weeks by the Ice, became free on the 8th Inſtant.

Paris, March 21. The King, who went laſt Friday to Bellevue, returned the next Day to Verſailles. The Baron de Grevenbroeck, Miniſter Plenipotentiary from the Courts of Manheim and Munich, having received his Letters of Revocation from the Elector of Bavaria, preſented

presented the same to his Majesty on Tuesday last in a private Audience, to which he was conducted by the Marquess de Verneuil, Introductor of Ambassadors. The Dukes of Rochechouart, Fitz-James, Harcourt, Antin and Valentinois, took their Seats last Monday in Parliament, in Quality of Peers of France.

Hague, March 25. Her Royal Highness the Princess Governante is perfectly recovered from her late Illness. This Morning the States of this Province reassumed their Deliberations; and the Deputies of the several Colleges of the Admiralty meet regularly to consider of the Affairs of their Department. The Council of State has named M. van Wullen, to replace the late Baron Villattes in the Employment of Receiver of the publick Revenues in the District of Kempeland, which is Part of the Mayoralty of Boisle-duc. We have received an Account of the Death of M. Lely, Lieutenant General of Foot in the Service of this Republick; as also of M. Quintus, Chief of the Provincial Chamber of Justice at Groninguen.

Admiralty Office, March 24, 1755.

Whereas about Eight o'Clock at Night of the 20th Instant, divers Persons, to the Number of Twenty Seven and upwards, armed and disguised, some having their Faces blacked, some with Caps, and others with Handkerchiefs over their Heads, did unlawfully, riotously, and tumultuously assemble in the Town of Deal in the County of Kent, and then attacked a certain House in the said Town, where a Press Gang, employed to press Seamen for His Majesty's Service, then kept their Rendezvous, and not only broke the Windows of the said House, but also wilfully, maliciously, and cruelly beat and wounded several of the said Press Gang in a very dangerous Manner, and did also afterwards, the same Night, attack another House in the said Town of Deal, being the Dwelling House of Lieut. James Cunningham, the Commanding Officer of the said Press Gang, and broke the Windows, Window Shutters, and Iron Bars of that House, and were proceeding to commit further Outrages there, had they not been prevented by the Assistance of the Civil Magistrates: And my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, judging it highly necessary that the Persons guilty of the above-mentioned Offences should be immediately detected and brought to Justice; I do therefore, in Obedience to their Lordships Commands, hereby offer a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds *for the discovering, apprehending and prosecuting of all, or any three or more of the Persons who were principally guilty of the several Offences aforesaid; which Reward shall, upon the Conviction of such Three, or more of the said principal Offenders, be paid and distributed by Samuel Seddon, Esq; Sollicitor of the Admiralty, unto and amongst the several Persons who shall be concerned in discovering, apprehending and prosecuting the said Offenders, in such Proportions as he the said Sollicitor shall judge to be reasonable.*

J. Clevland.

March 31, 1755.

A sufficient Number of the Trustees for repairing the Roads from Stevenage in the County of Hertford, to Bigleswade in the County of Bedford, not appearing at the last General Meeting, appointed to have been held at the Sun Inn at Bigleswade, on Tuesday the 25th Day of March Instant, the said Trustees are desired to meet at the same House, on Tuesday the 22d Day of April, 1755.

Isa. Wilkinson, *Clerk to the Trustees.*

East India House, February 19, 1755.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Book of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 6th Day of March next, at Two of the Clock.

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall Street, on Wednesday the 19th Day of March next, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at their said House, on Wednesday the 26th Day of said March.

That a General Court will be held at their said House, on Wednesday the 9th Day of April next, for the Election of twenty-four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning until Six in the Afternoon of the same Day, after which no Lists will be taken in.

And that the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be opened on Thursday the 10th Day of said April.

Advertisements.

By the KING's PATENT.

HIS MAJESTY having been graciously pleased to grant his Royal Letters Patent, bearing Date at Westminster the 17th Day of October 1751, in the 25th Year of his Reign, unto Richard Rock, of the Parish of St. Bridget, otherwise Bride's, London, Licentiate in Medicine, for his New Compound Medicine, or Anti-Venereal Cathartick Electuary, for the true Cure of fresh Venereal Injuries, and all the lurking Relicts or Remains of old ones, which he has brought to a surprizing Degree of Perfection in the Cure of the several Stages of the Venereal Distemper, from the slightest Infection to the most inveterate Degree thereof, without breaking or impairing the Constitution, enervating the human System, or leaving any Foulness or Weakness behind: This is therefore to acquaint the Publick, for whose Use and Benefit the said Letters Patent were principally obtained, that the said most admirable Electuary is sold by him at the Golden Head and Key, Bell Savage Inn Gateway, Ludgate-Hill, London, at only 6 s. and a Book of plain Instructions (by the Help of which every one may be his own Physician) given with each Pot: Where Advice is to be had, and all Debilities, Obstructions of the urinary Passages, and Gleets, are absolutely cured.

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THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Neville, of the Parish of Saint James in the Liberty of Westminster, Goldsmith, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, on Thursday the 10th Day of April Instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at Goldsmiths Coffee house, near Goldsmiths Hall, London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, touching the said Bankrupt's Estate, or to their agreeing, compounding or submitting to Arbitration any Matters in Dispute relating thereto, and on other Affairs.

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IF William Surton, late of Durrington in the County of Wilts, Yeoman, be living, and will call on or ſend to George Harris of Niton Farm, near Amesbury in the ſaid County of Wilts, he may be informed of ſomething to his Advantage; or any Perſon who can give Information whether he be living or dead, ſhall be gratefully rewarded for their Trouble by the ſaid George Harris.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Mills, of Old Brentford, in the County of Middleſex, Diſtiller, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 8th and 15th of this Inſtant April, and on the 13th of May following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame, but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Hammond, in New-Inn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Hawkſworth, late of High Town, in the Pariſh Burſtall, otherwiſe Birſtall, in the County of York, Woollen Draper, Mercer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 14th and 28th Days of April Inſtant, and on the 13th Day of May next, at Three of the Cock in the Afternoon, on on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of William Hayes, known by the Sign of the Globe and Croſs Keys in the Great Fleſh Shambles, in the City of York, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Ralph Yoward, Attorney, at York.

THE Meeting of the Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Percival, of Sewborrans, in the Pariſh of Newton, in the County of Cumberland, Chapman, and Dealer in Cattle, which was advertized in the London Gazette of Saturday the 8th of February laſt, for a Dividend to be made on the 10th Day of April Inſtant, at the Houſe of William Redhead, in Penrith, in the ſaid County, known by the Sign of the Red Lyon, is poſtponed till the 23d Day of April Inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Houſe of the ſaid William Redhead, in Penrith aforeſaid; at which Time and Place the Commiſſioners will meet, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Carrack, of Newgate Street, London, Hoſier and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th Day of this Inſtant April, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Barker, late of Liverpoole in the County of Lancaſter, Grocer, intend to meet on Monday the 28th Day of this Inſtant April, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Edward Rathbone, being the Sign of the Golden Talbot in Water ſtreet in Liverpoole aforeſaid, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Ralph Middleton, late of the Burrough of Southwarke in the County of Surry, and Alexander Middleton, late of the ſame Place, but then of the Pariſh of Chriſt Church, in the ſaid County of Surry, Brewers and Partners in Trade, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Alexander Middleton hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 22d of April Inſtant.

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